

ISSUES AND PROGRAM REPORT

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OCTOBER 2009

HEALTH

PROGRAM: Live at 5 p.m.

DATE: 10/29/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: 2:00

SUMMARY: BONE SCANS ARE TYPICALLY USED TO CHECK FOR OSTEOPOROSIS, BUT NOW RESEARCHERS SAY THEY COULD BE ONE OF THE MOST POWERFUL PREDICTORS OF BREAST CANCER. AS BARBARA WEST EXPLAINS, IN SOME CASES, HAVING STRONG BONES PUTS OLDER WOMEN AT A GREATER RISK.

PROGRAM: The Good Morning Show

TIME: 7 a.m.

DATE: 10/29/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: 2:00

SUMMARY: More than 23 million doses of the H1N1 vaccine are now available across the country. But that's still less than the government had hoped for by this point and the shortage has some scam artists trying to cash in on flu fears. EYEWITNESS NEWS REPORTER Whit Johnson has the latest from Washington.

PROGRAM: The Good Morning Show

TIME: 6 a.m.

DATE: 10/29/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: 2:10

SUMMARY: Having problems shedding pounds? Call a friend! Research shows that going to the gym with a pal could keep you motivated to work out on a regular basis. Also, according to a new study, 20-percent of children are not getting enough Vitamin D. Lack of this supplement could lead to a number of health problems. Triston Sanders has more in today's Health Matters.

PROGRAM: Eyewitness News at 5:30

DATE: 10/28/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: :30

SUMMARY: African American men are more likely to die of prostate cancer than any other U-S ethnic group. And FAMU scientists have done groundbreaking research to learn what places men most at risk. FAMU cancer researchers collected data from more than three thousand FAMU researchers.

OCTOBER 2009

CRIME

PROGRAM: The Good Morning Show

TIME: 7:30 a.m.

DATE: 10/23/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: 1:55

SUMMARY: Police departments and Sheriff's offices throughout the state are trimming their ranks to make do with less money. The remaining officers are sharpening their skills to fight crime with a smaller force. As Whitney Ray tells us, officers say training maybe more important now than ever.

PROGRAM: Eyewitness News at Noon

DATE: 10/26/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: :45

SUMMARY: A report released by the attorney general's office says the number of hate crimes in Florida dropped slightly in 2008 and now we're getting a better picture of those crimes in Leon County.

PROGRAM: The Good Morning Show

TIME: 6 a.m.

DATE: 10/16/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: :45

SUMMARY: Florida has a new "top 3" ranking, but it's nothing to brag about. According to the Internet Crime Complaint Center, the sunshine state is near the top when it comes to cases of internet fraud.

PROGRAM: Eyewitness News at 6

DATE: 10/12/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: 1:55

SUMMARY: A spurt of violent crimes on and around the FSU campus has some students looking over their shoulders ... and calling for more security. A gunpoint hold-up on Friday is the latest incident in a three week spate that includes robbery, rape and murder. Eyewitness News reporter Julie Montanaro has the story.

OCTOBER 2009

POLITICS/GOVERNMENT

PROGRAM: Eyewitness News at 5:30

DATE: 10/20/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: 2:20

SUMMARY: Gadsden County Commissioners planned for a long day today, dealing with the usual agenda items. But one controversial topic, was strategically avoided. The hospital, budget concerns, one motion after the other were knocked off the agenda. But commissioners kept their lips sealed when it came to the issue of the malnourished horse.

PROGRAM: Eyewitness News at 11 p.m.

DATE: 10/29/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: 2:00

SUMMARY: Democrats in the House have laid out their plan to overhaul America's healthcare system. It includes the so-called public option, a government-run insurance plan...Republicans say the almost 2-thousand page bill is a bureaucratic nightmare that won't reform anything. Joel Brown has more from Washington.

PROGRAM: Eyewitness News at 6 p.m.

DATE: 10/27/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: 2:35

SUMMARY: Leon County Commissioners are taking a closer look at the highly debated Florida Hometown Democracy Amendment. It's showing up as Amendment Four on next year's ballot, but commissioners want to see if they need a strategy on how to deal with the issue now.

PROGRAM: Fox News at 10 p.m.

DATE: 10/21/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: 1:55

SUMMARY: THESE DAYS, YOU DON'T HAVE TO GO TO VEGAS TO GET YOUR BLACKJACK FIX... JUST VISIT A SEMINOLE TRIBE CASINO IN FLORIDA. FOR NEARLY A YEAR, THEY'VE BEEN RUNNING BLACKJACK AND BACCARAT GAMES AROUND THE CLOCK. BUT NOW, THE SPEAKER OF THE STATE HOUSE SAYS THE GAMES HAVE TO GO. REPORTER TROY KINSEY TELLS US WHY.

NOVEMBER 2009

HEALTH

PROGRAM: The Good Morning Show

TIME: 6 a.m.

DATE: 11/30/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: 2:15

SUMMARY: One study says that most diabetics aren't taking their illness as seriously as they need to. Also, research says one popular drug could be hazardous to your heart. Triston Sanders has more in today's Health Matters.

PROGRAM: Eyewitness News at 11 p.m.

DATE: 11/30/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: 1:15

SUMMARY: Turning now to medical news...big news for expectant mothers with HIV and why some women continue to take certain medications that could cause birth defects. Michelle Gielan explains in today's Medical Wrap.

PROGRAM: The Good Morning Show

TIME: 6 a.m.

DATE: 11/27/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: 3:15

SUMMARY: Men may have more of a motivation to hit the gym when they hear this study. Also, certain cities may contain chemicals in the air that could be hazardous to your child's health. Triston Sanders has more in today's Health Matters.

PROGRAM: The Good Morning Show

TIME: 6 a.m.

DATE: 11/26/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: 2:35

SUMMARY: It may shock you to know just how many people in the world have AIDS. Also, researchers estimate that thousands of people in the U.S. die annually from MRSA. Triston Sanders has more on today's Health Matters.

NOVEMBER 2009

CHARITY

PROGRAM: Daybreak

TIME: 5:30 a.m.

DATE: 11/26/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: :25

SUMMARY: One Valdosta holiday charity for children needs your help. The annual "Shop with a Cop" event will provide underprivileged kids with an opportunity to Christmas shop with a police officer at the Walmart Supercenter on Perimeter Road.

PROGRAM: Eyewitness News at 6 p.m.

DATE: 11/4/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: :45

SUMMARY: Seniors at a Tallahassee retirement community are putting their needles to work for charity. Throughout the year, Westminster Oaks residents knit scarves, hats, booties, blankets, and more for different non-profit groups. Members meet once a week to share their work and tips.

PROGRAM: Live at 5 p.m.

DATE: 11/24/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: :45

SUMMARY: A charity project in Tallahassee has wrapped up ... and while donations are down, organizers are thankful for what they have. Operation Christmas Child accepted its last donations last night. Local organizers are collecting shoe boxes full of candy and gifts for less fortunate children in other countries.

PROGRAM: The Good Morning Show Weekend Edition

TIME: 8 a.m.

DATE: 11/21/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: :30

SUMMARY: Crews descended on a Tallahassee home this week Friday to make sure abused and neglected teens will have a roof over their heads for years to come. Workers dotted the roof of this group home at Boys Town of North Florida on Friday.

NOVEMBER 2009

CRIME

PROGRAM: The Good Morning Show

TIME: 7 a.m.

DATE: 11/26/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: 1:30

SUMMARY: People report stolen identities year round. But with holiday shopping gearing up, it's important to be aware. As Eyewitness News reporter Deneige Broom tells us, some shopping conveniences could make it easier to lose your identity.

PROGRAM: Daybreak

TIME: 5 a.m.

DATE: 11/25/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: :55

SUMMARY: It was lights, camera, action yesterday afternoon 11-23 as all of Leon County's law enforcement leaders came together. Leon County Sheriff Larry Campbell and the chiefs from TPD, FAMU, and FSU made their voices heard: joining forces to encourage residents to pick up the phone and help prevent crime in their neighborhood.

PROGRAM: The Good Morning Show

TIME: 7 a.m.

DATE: 11/25/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: :25

SUMMARY: Valdosta police will set up an additional command post this holiday season to deter crime. Starting this week, the Valdosta Police Department Mobile Command Vehicle will be stationed at the Valdosta Mall.

SUMMARY: Eyewitness News at 5:30

DATE: 11/19/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: 2:00

SUMMARY: Crime stats comparing Florida A&M and FSU with other universities rank the two schools near the top when computing how many crimes might have occurred if there were a hundred thousand students on campus. As Mike Vasilinda tells us, both schools are relatively safe.

DECEMBER 2009

HEALTH

PROGRAM: The Good Morning Show

TIME: 6 a.m.

DATE: 12/31/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: 1:35

SUMMARY: "There's an app for that"... may just be leading to eating disorders. And moms who go back to work are often quitting breast-feeding too soon. Triston Sanders tells us in today's Health Matters.

PROGRAM: Live at 5 p.m.

DATE: 12/30/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: :55

SUMMARY: Health officials say during teen-age years, it's important for young people to learn how to take care of themselves. The Thomasville Community Resource Center continues to offer free clinics for teens.

PROGRAM: The Good Morning Show

TIME: 6 a.m.

DATE: 12/30/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: 2:10

SUMMARY: You may be able to get an HIV test at your next dentist appointment. And, wonder why it's important to take all of your antibiotics? Triston Sanders tells us in today's Health Matters.

PROGRAM: Eyewitness News at 5:30

DATE: 12/29/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: 2:00

SUMMARY: WHETHER IT'S SPRING BREAK OR THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL, KIDS AIM TO IMPRESS. AND FOR MANY, THAT MEANS SPORTING A TAN. BUT, STUDIES SHOW OVEREXPOSURE TO U-V RAYS MAY CAUSE SKIN CANCER. THAT'S WHY LAWMAKERS ARE GETTING INVOLVED. TROY KINSEY SHINES SOME LIGHT ON THE DEBATE.

DECEMBER 2009

CRIME

PROGRAM: Fox 49 News at 10 p.m.

DATE: 12/30/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: :45

SUMMARY: A federal appeals court ruled that a California police officer can be liable for injuries suffered by an unarmed man he tasered...Experts say this could force law enforcement agencies nationwide to tighten their policies on taser use. Local officials say tasers can be a vital tool in fighting crime and protecting our communities.

PROGRAM: The Good Morning Show

TIME: 7:30 a.m.

DATE: 12/23/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: 1:40

SUMMARY: After a rash of crime, a local warden is speaking out to at risk teens. Eyewitness News reporter La'Tasha Givens was there and spent time with the warden talking about ways to curb crime.

PROGRAM: The Good Morning Show

TIME: 7:30 a.m.

DATE: 12/22/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: :30

SUMMARY: Tallahassee Police will be out in full force today looking to prevent crime and catch criminals red-handed.

PROGRAM: Eyewitness News at 6 p.m.

DATE: 12/21/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: :30

SUMMARY: Wakulla County deputies have arrested 12 wanted felons. Law enforcement officers spent the day rounding up fugitives and putting them behind bars. The Wakulla County Sheriff's Office and U-S Marshals Task Force teamed up to track down and arrest nearly 30 wanted felons.

DECEMBER 2009

CHARITY

PROGRAM: The Good Morning Show

TIME: 7:30 a.m.

DATE: 12/29/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: :30

SUMMARY: The heat is on for many south Georgia residents thanks to a local program. The Southwest Georgia Community Action Council says the program offers assistance to folks who need help covering their heating costs.

PROGRAM: The Good Morning Show

TIME: 7:30 a.m.

DATE: 12/29/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: :45

SUMMARY: Officials with the Thomas County Food Bank and Outreach Center say about six thousand clients received donated groceries in October and November. And almost two-thousand people received groceries in the first two weeks of this month.

PROGRAM: The Good Morning Show Weekend Edition

TIME: 8 a.m.

DATE: 12/26/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: :30

SUMMARY: This year, The Southeastern Community Blood Center reported donations were down an estimated 3-percent. They say the decrease is related to the status of the economy, and less people at the work place.

PROGRAM: Eyewitness News at 5:30

DATE: 12/24/09

SEGMENT LENGTH: :30

SUMMARY: Two Valdosta families have brand new homes... just in time for Christmas. Two Habitat for Humanity houses on Perkins Lane are getting their finishing touches, as neighbors and family members pitch in to spruce them up.

